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Sir:

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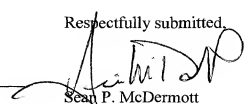
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Applicant respectfully request that the listed documents be considered and made of record in the present case, and that the Examiner initial the spaces on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 to evidence the same.

Respectfully submitted,

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	C1	International Search Report for PCT/US01/30441
	C2	D. E. Cameron et al., "The Origin and Reduction of Acoustic Noise in Doubly Salient Variable-Reluctance Motors," November/December 1992, IEEE Transactions on Industry Applications, Vol. 28 No. 6, pp. 1250-1255.
	C3	Patent Abstracts of Japan Vol. 1999, No. 12, 29 Oct. 1999 and JP 11 178298 A (Toshiba Corp), 2 July 1999 abstract, Figure 8.

Examiner:**Date Considered:**

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